

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Reclamation

Government-Owned Invention;
Availability for Licensing

AGENCY: Bureau of Reclamation, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of a Government-owned invention available for licensing.

SUMMARY: The invention listed below is owned by the U.S. Government, as represented by the Department of the Interior, and is available for licensing in accordance with 35 U.S.C. 207 and 37 CFR part 404 to achieve expeditious commercialization of results of federally funded research and development.

ADDRESSES: Technical and licensing information on this invention may be obtained by writing to: Dr. Donald Ralston, Research & Technology Transfer Liaison, Bureau of Reclamation, 1849 C Street, NW, Washington, D.C. 20240. Any request for information should include the Title for the relevant invention as indicated below.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Dr. Donald Ralston at (202) 208-5671.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Bureau of Reclamation may enter into a Cooperative Research and Development Agreement (CRADA) with the licensee to perform further research on the invention for purposes of commercialization. The title of the invention available for licensing is:

Instant, Chemical-Free Dechlorination
of Water Supplies

The invention is a process that uses a catalyst composed of a Raney metal doped with one or more transition metal oxides to instantly and continuously decompose aqueous trace chlorine into chloride ion and oxygen at room temperature. Applications include chlorine damage reduction in industrial reverse osmosis membranes, dechlorination of residential drinking water, and chlorine removal for aquarium systems.

Dated: July 15, 1997.

Stanley L. Ponce,

Research Director.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Office of Surface Mining Reclamation
and EnforcementNotice of Proposed Information
Collection

AGENCY: Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement.

ACTION: Notice request for comments.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement (OSM) is announcing that the information collection request for the title described below has been forwarded to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and comment. The information collection request describes the nature of the information collection and the expected burden and cost.

DATES: Comments must be submitted on or before August 20, 1997, to be assured of consideration.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: To request a copy of the information collection request, explanatory information and related form, contact John A. Trelease at (202) 208-2783.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Office of Management and Budget (OMB) regulations at 5 CFR 1320, which implement provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104-13), require that interested members of the public and affected agencies have an opportunity to comment on information collection and recordkeeping activities (see 5 CFR 1320.8(d)). OSM has submitted a request to OMB to renew its approval of the collection of information for noncoal reclamation, found at 30 CFR part 875. OSM is requesting a 3-year term of approval for this information collection activity.

An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number. The OMB control number for this collection of information is listed in 30 CFR part 875, which is 1029-0103.

As required under 5 CFR 1320.8(d), a **Federal Register** notice soliciting comments on these collections of information was published on April 23, 1997 (62 FR 19810). No comments were received. This notice provides the public with an additional 30 days in which to comment on the following information collection activity:

An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB

control number. The OMB control number for this collection of information is listed in 30 CFR part 875, which is 1029-0103.

As required under 5 CFR 1320.8(d), a **Federal Register** notice soliciting comments on these collections of information was published on April 23, 1997 (62 FR 19810). No comments were received. This notice provides the public with an additional 30 days in which to comment on the following information collection activity:

Title: Noncoal reclamation, 30 CFR part 875.

OMB Control Number: 1029-0103.

Summary: This Part establishes procedures and requirements for State and Indian tribes to conduct noncoal reclamation under abandoned mine land funding. The information is needed to assure compliance with the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977.

Bureau Form Number: None.

Frequency of Collection: On occasion.

Description of Respondents: State governments and Indian Tribes.

Send comments on the need for the collection of information for the performance of the functions of the agency; the accuracy of the agency's burden estimates; ways to enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information collection; and ways to minimize the information collection burden on respondents, such as use of automated means of collection of the information, to the following address. Please refer to the appropriate OMB control number in all correspondence.

Addresses: Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, Attention: Department of Interior Desk Officer, 725 17th Street, NW., Washington, DC 20503.

Dated: July 16, 1997.

Richard G. Bryson,

Chief, Division of Regulatory Support.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Office of the Attorney General

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Final Guidelines for Megan's Law and
the Jacob Wetterling Crimes Against
Children and Sexually Violent Offender
Registration Act

AGENCY: Department of Justice.

ACTION: Final guidelines.